

HYDE COUNTY.

JOSEPH M. WATSON, Examiner, Swanquarter. Whole number of public schools in the county, 10—white 5, colored 5; 1st grade 4, 2d grade 6.

Number of school houses in the county, 10; frame 10.

Number of meetings held for the examination of teachers during the year, 12.

Number of applicants for certificates, 12; men, white 8, colored 2; women: white 1, colored 0.

Number of applicants approved, 10; men, white 8, colored 1; women: white 1, colored 0.

Number of applicants for certificates who are under twenty-one years of age, 2.

Examinations were conducted orally.

Average amount per month paid teachers of the 1st and 2d grades, \$30.

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County School Examiner.

IREDELL COUNTY.

PROF. J. H. HILL, Examiner, Statesville. Public Schools opened in this county since October 1st, 1869, 29—white, 22; colored, 7.

Some others have lately commenced, the number of which is not known.

The schools are 'graded as follows: 2d grade, 19, 3d grade, 10.

Number of applicants for certificates 51; men, white 30, colored 4; women, white 13, colored 4.

Applicants approved, 51.

Examinations were conducted, as to questions, orally, chiefly; as to answers, orally.

J. H. HILL,
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